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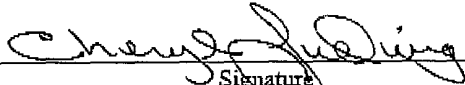
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"READY-TO-EAT, NUTRITIONALLY  
BALANCED FOOD COMPOSITIONS HAVING  
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**SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

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Sir:

In the matter of the above-noted Application, Applicants herein supplement the Response to the non-final office action mailed February 4, 2003. Applicants respectfully submit request reconsideration on the merits of the Application and allowance of the claims.

The undersigned wishes to thank the Examiner for her time spent preparing for and conducting the interviews discussed in more detail below.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 17 of this paper.